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Heidelberg vs. Hellas in Cup

The draw for round two of the Philips Cup features a local creek derby between Heidelberg United and Hellas that will pack Middle Park to capacity and provide the large crowd with a scintillating contest.

In Sydney APIA looks incapable of stopping Sydney City's advancement to the next round and a few miles away Blacktown gets the chance to further enhance its rapidly improving reputation when it clashes with St George.

Newcastle's defenders Paul Reaney, Arno Bertogna, Roy Drinkwater and Col Curran will have to be at their best to contain Macclesfield's famed striking trio, Eddie Krcevic, Mark Jankovics and Peter Stoyanov.

Victoria State League clubs Makedonia and Ajax have hard tasks to knock off their more fancied PSL opponents, Canberra and Adelaide City.

Makedonia's striking trio of Robert Cullen, George McMillan and Gary Ward will severely test Canberra's defence and an upset is on the cards here.

Ajax cannot be taken lightly as JUST found out in round one.

The full draw is:

St George v Blacktown, Sunday 6 July, Barton Stadium, 3pm.

APIA Leichhardt v Sydney City, Sunday 6 July, Lambton Park, 2pm.

Adelaide City v Green Gully, Sunday 6 July, Olympic Sports Field, 3pm.

Bogong v Dalmatianec, Wednesday 2 July, Hindmarsh Stadium, 7.30 pm.

Hellas v Heidelberg, Sunday 6 July, Middle Park, 3pm.

Canberra v Makedonia, Sunday 6 July, Bruce Stadium, 3pm.

Newcastle v Marconi, Saturday 5 July, International Sports Centre, 2.30 pm.

Mt Gravatt v Brisbane Lions, Sunday 6 July, Perry Park, 3pm.

Germans take iron grip on Europe



A friendly hug by Holland's Ruud Krol is effective in keeping West German striker Horst Hrubesch away from the ball in their European championship match in Naples. West Germany won 3-2.

West Germany favored for the title, England eliminated, Belgium the big surprise, Italy fighting to get into the final ... that's the position after two rounds of the European championships in Rome.

After having beaten Czechoslovakia 1-0 and Holland 3-2, West Germany still is undefeated since manager Jupp Derwall took over from Helmut Schön after the 1978 World Cup final.

West Germany needs only to overcome Greece this morning (Wednesday) to qualify for the final next Monday morning, our time.

Italy and Belgium meet this morning for the other place in the final. See page 4 for all details.

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I WANT GUTS SAYS RUDI



National coach Rudi Gutendorf last week explained why he continually changes his team.

"I am criticised for this, but there is a good reason," he said.

"Fifty per cent of our players are unpredictable."

"One day, the player does so well that he convinces me he is the best man for the job."

"Then, he plays absolute rubbish and I have my doubts."

"In the long term it matters only which players I can trust."

"The most important thing is to find out which players will do the job in 10 months' time when the World Cup series start."

"What I expect from my players is:

- physical and mental courage and good nerves;
- he must be a big personality;
- he must have the guts to attack head-on, even from a weak position."

"I have found that not all the players I have chosen are able to do this."

"There has been a question mark over Kevin Mullen and Paul Degney, for example. They have tended to hesitate."

Three players who certainly filled all of Gutendorf's requirements in Australia's 1-1 draw with Northern Ireland are Murray Barnes, Jim Tansey and Jim Muir.

Barnes was magnificent in his first international game at centre back.

And big Muir was the epitome of the unflinching warrior — blood streaming from his face, yet still reigning supreme in the air.

Gutendorf revealed that a West German Bundesliga club had made an offer for his services.

— LAURIE SCHWAB.



Crook in, Barnes out

Martyn Crook of West Adelaide will get his chance in goal in Australia's third and final international against Northern Ireland at Hindmarsh Stadium tonight (Wednesday).

Greg Woodhouse played in the first game, won 2-1 by Northern Ireland in Sydney, and Yakka Banovic of Heidelberg kept goal in the 1-1 draw in Melbourne on Sunday.

Coach Rudi Gutendorf said he was using the series to establish which of the three goalkeepers will be his No. 1 choice. The others will be Nos. 2 and 3.

Strikers Peter Marshall and John Nyskohus and reserve goalkeeper John Keamina and John Nyskohus and reserve gookeeper Peter Marshall have been called into the squad for tonight's game.

Murray Barnes, star of the game in Melbourne, will not play as he had to return home to Sydney for exams.

After the first two games, Northern Ireland leads with one win and a draw and three goals to two. The best Australia can do is to win the series on goals by beating Northern Ireland by at least two.

However, without Barnes, with more players being tried out and in light of the tremendous pressure applied by Northern Ireland in the second half last Sunday, it's a tall order.

— LAURIE SCHWAB.

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After Australia's World Cup qualifying game against Israel in Sydney in 1969, one highly-rated ASF-official said to another: "Let's go to England, buy a new team and build for 1974."

Those two still are operating in top soccer in this country.

At the end of 1971 I submitted a five-page document to the ASF saying that players should not be used in the Australian team if they were not Australian-born or naturalised.

This became hard and fast policy throughout 1972 and 1973 and of course 1974 in the World Cup finals.

Yet in 1975 the policy was discarded.

A fellow called Willie McGroarty made an appearance for Australia in our 2-2 draw with Legia Warsaw in Sydney. McGroarty, a Scot, had been in Australia only a short while and, in fact, returned home not long after that game.

Then we had Agenor Muniz and Rudi Gnavi playing in what were classed full international matches against the USSR in late 1975.

When the Socceroos were in Fiji for their World Cup qualifying matches against Taiwan in 1977, it was discovered at the last minute that Jim Tansey was not naturalised. He had to be flown from Ba to the Australian High Commission in Suva to take his citizenship oath before he could don the green and gold.

At the start of 1978, we all set to go to Auckland for a full international against New Zealand with a squad of players including many who were 'visitors' from overseas.

But the NZFA objected and it was agreed that each team could have only one unnaturalised player.

Then came the Centenary match against England B at the SCG.

I leave it to the readers to draw their own conclusions. Suffice to say that the Australian team that took the field that night included three unnaturalised players.

Let's go back a little. Remember when Roberto Echeverria and Stuart Baxter were in the national squad? Everyone knew Baxter did not intend to stay in this country. He said as much in newspaper interviews.

And, sure enough, he did leave South Melbourne Hellas and go back home.

Similarly, Echeverria left Brisbane City and returned to Argentina while his name was still in the programme for a big game by the Socceroos.

Incidentally, the programme said Echeverria was a "highly effective contributor to the team's success..." whereas he was playing not in the PSL team but in Brisbane City's second string side!

Can someone please answer this question: Has it become a joke to play for Australia?

In 1972 I dearly wanted Doug Utjesenovic and Branko Buljevic to join the Socceroo squad, for they were among the best in the country. They did eventually but not until they had given up their citizenship papers.

Today it seems you can fly from England, Scotland or wherever, and put on a green and gold shirt the very next day.

I wonder whether anyone at the ASF knows what a full international match is, exactly.

I'm sure that England, Scotland, Northern

Ireland or other European nations never ever have used a non-citizen in their national teams.

If FIFA were to bother checking up on the records, it would have to strike off many of the matches Australia claims to have been full internationals.

John Perin, Manfred Schaefer, Ron Corry, Attila Abonyi, Ray Baartz, Ray Richards and Stan Ackerley to the crowd before the match?

All the Socceroos of the past should have been invited by the ASF to be there — Alan Marnoch, John Watkiss, Frank Micic, Jack Reilly, Peter Ollerton ...

In the U.S. they would have shown Jimmy Mackay's famous World Cup goal on a huge TV screen.

The players are proud of their achievements. They would have felt honored had the ASF acknowledged those achievements.

At least we can thank the writer of the Centenary match programme. He did make reference to that 1974 team which achieved some small measure of success ...

I'm pleased the ASF has come up with a Centenary logo at long last. I'm pleased to note it's a little different to the one created by "Soccer Action" some weeks ago. Congratulations, ASF, on your creativity.

In Brisbane last week I noticed a brilliant young football talent — a boy by the name of Confessore. He has technique, speed, acceleration, the lot. I expect big things from him.

Blacktown's 5-1 thrashing of Marconi must rate as the upset result of the PSL since the inception of the league.

Even though experienced defenders Harris and Turnbull weren't in the team, Blacktown managed to beat what was almost the national side.

Congratulations, Mick Jones, congratulations Demons.



**RALE
RASIC**

Youth team fights back

The Australian youth team came from behind to beat the Victorian youth team 2-1 in the curtain-raiser to the international match at Olympic Park last Sunday.

A goal by Sean Parton gave Victoria a 1-0 half-time lead but Australia hit back with goals by Oscar Crino and David Mitchell.

Teams:
AUSTRALIA: Ahern, Wheatley, McLatchey, Blair, McKie, Kay, Watt,

Patnick, Mitchell, Crino, Daunt. Subs: Ivanac, Lee, Belic.

VICTORIA: Vidovic, Petrakos, Parson, Drinoczyk, Traficante, Nicolaides, Nisbet, Little, Saisi, Cozella, Intantalo. Subs: Curovic, Scardaglia, Shinias.

Socceroos can get to Spain

The discovery of Murray Barnes as a magnificent centre back has added further to the armoury of the Gutendorf Socceroos who look more and more likely to qualify for the 1982 World Cup finals in Spain.

Gutendorf now has a combination which can be varied with success depending on the opponent.

Against accomplished teams like Northern Ireland, England or Chile it is prudent to use two centre backs (Barnes and Muir) and a sweeper (Prskalo).

Against weaker teams, Gutendorf can revert to only two central defenders in order to bring in a third midfielder — Ken Boden for example.

The forward trio he used in the 1-1 draw with Ireland in Melbourne — Gary Cole, Eddie Krnecic and Peter Sharne — appears ideal and Gutendorf should allow them to continue playing in order to knit together into an effective unit.

All three have speed and power and the energy to chase back the way Gutendorf wants them to. How often was Krnecic seen rising like a Boeing to head the ball out of defence?

Gutendorf criticises Cole for being clumsy but Cole must be in this team all the time. Analyse Australia's effective attacks last Sunday and you'll find Cole was at the heart of every one of them. What's more he has the strength and courage to bore into the most perilous situations and of course his shooting power is undoubted. He also has the patience to wait for gaps and the explosiveness to exploit them.

All he needs is the right type of service from midfield. Passes should be delivered to make the most of Cole's speed, and also the speed of Sharne. Krnecic on the other hand has energy and heading ability as his greatest assets. He loves to work, so let him battle, let him run, let him try to win the ball in attack and lay it off to Cole and Sharne, and let him be there for high balls.

This forward line can carry us to Spain, I'm sure it will be well supported by the midfield duo of Jimmy Rooney and Tony Henderson, by the overlapping full

LAURIE SCHWAB



AUSTRALIA 1 (Sharne 20th) NORTHERN IRELAND 1 (M. O'Neill 84th) at Olympic Park, crowd about 9000.

Ratings by Laurie Schwab, Billy Vojtek and Craig MacKenzie:

AUSTRALIA: Banovic 8 - Prskalo 8.3 - Yzendoorn 7.6, Barnes 9.5, Muir 8.3, Tansey 9.3 - Rooney 7, (Jankovic 62nd), Henderson 7 - Cole 6.6 (Boden 74th), Krnecic 7, Sharne 6.6 (Davidson 85th).

NORTHERN IRELAND: Platt 7.6 - J. Nicholls 7.3, C. Nicholl 8, J. O'Neill 8, McClelland 7.6 - M. O'Neill 8, Cassidy 7, McCreevy 6.3 (Cochrane 67th) - Brosterston 8.2, Hamilton 6.8, Armstrong 6.5.

Referee: Stewart Mellings 7.

hooks it square past Jim Platt for the opening goal. 1-0.

A minute later Sharne lays off for a powerful shot by Cole, but Platt stops it confidentially.

The Socceroos are in full hop. They're using the Irish, and tackling with gusto — so much so that Krnecic incurs the ire of David McCreevy and referee Stewart Mellings.

Coach Rudi Gutendorf smells blood and goes for the kill. With a strong wind behind them, they should take the quickest path to goal, so he yells at goalkeeper Yakkha Banovic to kick in long and hard.

But Armstrong threatens again, latching onto the ball all alone 15 metres out. Where's Barnes? No need to ask. There he is, storming in full steam to snatch the ball from Armstrong before he can do anything with it.

The Irish maintain a period of pressure with Billy Hamilton shooting into the middle where Armstrong hooks it over the top.

In the 31st minute Australia counters its luckiest left-off. Banovic fails to hold a difficult high ball, and it falls behind him, heading for the net. Luckily Jim Tansey is there to head off it.

But Australia counters with the finest move of the match. It starts with Cole running on the right. He could have kept going but he slips it inside to Henderson who quickly relays it into the path of Sharne, who's in the clear on the left, with the defence beaten. Sharne has the space to continue running but he shoots a little too early and, with Platt beaten, watches in dismay as the ball rolls past the far post.

Henderson again plays for holding the ball too long when Brosterston brings him down with a crunching tackle but at the other end Barnes reciprocates by stopping Armstrong with a foul that earns him the yellow card.

And then Tansey has to come to Australia's rescue with a brilliant tackle on Hamilton inside the penalty area as Hamilton is about to shoot.

But it's Australia that is the more dangerous team in this half.

A dashing break by the Socceroos sees Sharne and Henderson combine in the middle, for Henderson to burst clear of the Irish

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coming through the middle.

Barnes, back in the national team after a year's absence, and left back Jim Tansey, were the stars of the Australian defence which was pinned back by the Irish in a desperate second half.

Ivo Prskalo also was brilliant in covering. He was particularly impressive in hanging off opponents, jockeying in crucial situations instead of tackling, which would have been suicidal. Jim Muir was majestic in the air and uncompromising on the ground, and John Yzendoorn on the right was the most constructive of the back five, sending some excellent balls forward.

Yakkha Banovic earned praise for his fine performance in goal from everyone including Irish manager Billy Birmingham.

He appears the most logical choice for the No. 1 goalkeeping position, just ahead of Greg Woodhouse and Martyn Crook.

The match starts with Cole looking very sharp in attack. He gets himself involved in everything.

Jim Muir is marking Billy Hamilton and Murray Barnes is looking after Gerry Armstrong, while Jim Tansey has the difficult job of holding skilful Noel Brosterston.

Tony Henderson has the slowest start. He gets himself tangled up because he tries to carry the ball in midfield, rather than deliver the quick pass forward.

Jimmy Rooney shows

play should be all about when he speaks a through ball between John McClelland and John O'Neill, for Sharne to run onto but it's a bit too far away, and Sharne just fails to squeeze through. This is the type of ball that must be played not only to Sharne but also to Cole.

At the other end Armstrong gets away in a break. Ivo Prskalo darts across field to intercept him and Armstrong slows, waiting for Prskalo to commit himself with a tackle. Prskalo's too shrewd for that. He stands off and jockeys, waiting for support, and Australia gets out of a dangerous situation.

In the 20th minute John Yzendoorn is about to take a throw-in on the right. But Barnes comes running to him from defence, calling to Yzendoorn to leave the ball.

Yzendoorn does so and Barnes, the modern Socceroos' answer to Ray Richards, steps back to take a Richards-style long throw.

This is a move well-rehearsed by the Socceroos.

The idea, just as with corners, is for one of the tall strikers to run towards the ball and back-head it into the goal mouth. This very play produced a goal against the New York Cosmos and almost another against England.

Krnecic raises high to meet Barnes' throw and despite pressure from Chris Nicholl and John O'Neill, he connects with his head and flicks the ball behind him. Peter Sharne

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SIX EXPERTS, SIX TEAMS

As national coach Rudi Gutendorf continues to experiment with the Socceroos, looking for the best possible combination for the World Cup matches next year, "Soccer Action" staff have found out just how difficult it is to come up with the "right" eleven.

Six of us worked out what we think would be the best team. Each one is different. Here they are, with a brief explanation for each:

CRAIG MacKENZIE

I have worked from the defence up and believe both full backs have brilliant recovery and the drive to go forward in support of their forwards.

John Yzendoorn would not "cheat" as a sweeper, he would sweep up right across his defence and Steve Kokoska's pace, recovery and on-the-ball marking stamp him as our best stopper.

Tony Henderson can lay off the defence with Ken Boden pushing forward when we are in possession. The main midfield marker is Murray Barnes.

Eddie Krncevic can act as target man for Gary Cole and Peter Sharne to work off.

BANOVIC

BANNON	YZENDOORN	KOKOSKA	DAVISON
BARNES	HENDERSON	BODEN	
COLE	KRNCEVIC	SHARNE	

BILLY VOJTEK

I favor an aggressive, attacking combination with Ken Boden operating behind three forwards, and setting up chances for them.

Speed is important, but at the same time, I believe we need experience to get us through the World Cup programme. Hence, I stick with old heads like Ivo Prskalo, Jim Tansey and Jimmy Rooney.

My team is:

PERRY	PRSKALO	HENDERSON	TANSEY
BODEN	JANKOVICS	BARNES	ROONEY
		COLE	SHARNE

TOM ANDERSON

Jimmy Rooney must be in the Australian team. Against Northern Ireland in Sydney, the team did not start functioning properly until he came on.

I also stick with Jim Muir at centre back, despite all the criticism against him. I think he has done well.

Eddie Krncevic has a few personal problems, and we'll have to wait until he gets his act together again.

My team is:

WOODHOUSE	MUIR	PRSKALO	TANSEY
YZENDOORN	HENDERSON	ROONEY	
BARNES	COLE	BODEN	SHARNE

Laurie Schwab

I've put the emphasis on speed and attack. I feel the talent we have at our disposal is best suited to an attacking game.

There also is an emphasis on youth, for we must plan for the future. Hence, Alan Mullen, 19, is at left back and the slower Jim Tansey takes the libero role.

My "best eleven":

BANOVIC			
MULLEN	BARNES	TANSEY	DAVIDSON
HENDERSON	YZENDOORN	ROONEY	
COLE	KRNCEVIC	SHARNE	

PETER SCOTT

In the midfield, I would use Theo Selemidis against tough, direct teams, and Ken Boden against ball-playing teams.

My selection of Steve O'Connor in defence is the other talking point. He's fast, strong, fearless, and I believe he could play at left back. Alternatively, he could be used as a marker against teams that play two strikers.

My team, with Boden the alternative midfielder, is:

MARSHALL			
PERRY	PRSKALO	HENDERSON	S. O'CONNOR
J. NYSKOHUS	BARNES	SELEMIDIS	
JANKOVICS	COLE	SHARNE	

RALE RASIC

The midfield combination is the most difficult. There really are no automatic first choices who stand taller than other midfielders in Australia.

In the trio I have chosen, Murray Barnes represents the defensive strong man and Mark Jankovics and Joe Piscione provide the flair, the real class, the imagination to service the front runners in the right way.

In defence, Tony Henderson should take over the duties of sweeper and I would use David Jones as the other centre back, just ahead of Robby Russell.

Alan Davidson is an absolutely brilliant talent, so I have included him at left back. Paul Degney and Arno Bertogna were other players I considered — Degney as left back and Bertogna in midfield.

My team, which has the future in mind, is:

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PERRY	HENDERSON	JONES	DAVIDSON
JANKOVICS	BARNES	PICIOANE	
COLE	KRNCEVIC	SHARNE	

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Greek clash countdown

Leading jockey Roy Higgins will be Heidelberg United's Patron for the Day for the match against South Melbourne Hellas at Olympic Park on June 29.

Heidelberg publicity officer Ollie Norris expects a crowd of at least 15,000.

He has invited officials from the sports of greyhound racing, horse racing and trotting to come to the game.

A leading radio disc jockey will be guest announcer.

And Norris has booked the city square for a special promotion on the Thursday before the game.



Jim Tansey heads off Australia's line after goalkeeper Yakka Banovic had dropped a high cross. Looking on are, from left: Murray Barnes, Eddie Krncevic, Gary Cole and John Yzendoorn. Northern Ireland's central striker Billy Hamilton watches the action as his team mate Gerry Armstrong, partly obscured, raises his arms in expectation.

Roos are showing attacking flair

AUSTRALIA 1 (Sharne) NORTHERN IRELAND 2 (N. Nicholl, M. O'Neill) at Sydney Cricket Ground, crowd about 12,000.

AUSTRALIA: Woodhouse 6 — Perry 7, Prskalo 7, Muir 9, Tansey 8 (sub Mullen 75th) — Yzendoorn 8, Henderson 8, Jankovics 7 (sub Rooney 60th), Selemidis 6 (Sub Boden 14th, 7) — Cole 7 (sub Krncevic, half time 7), Sharne 8.

NORTHERN IRELAND: Platt 8 — J. Nicholl 8, C. Nicholl 8, J. O'Neill 8, McClelland 7 — Brotherton 9, M. O'Neill 8, Finney 6, Cassidy 6 — Armstrong 7, Billy Hamilton 7.

Australia showed its ability to turn on attacking football in the second half just as it had done in the game against England B.

Peter Sharne revelled in being allowed to play for the full 90 minutes and in two consecutive games he has shone against top class opponents in Trevor Cherry of Leeds United and Jimmy Nicholl of Manchester United.

Davidson 'ready'

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defence which has moved up almost to the half line. But as Henderson breaks, Cole is caught offside and a promising move breaks down.

Northern Ireland replies with a dashing run by Martin O'Neill who slips the ball wide to Brotherton. His cross goes to Hamilton but the shot is over the bar, with Barnes storming in desperately, fearing the worst.

Tansey, Barnes, Prskalo and Cole have been impressive for Australia during this first half. The Irish have been a little disappointing, but I liked Armstrong, Chris Nicholl and at times, Hamilton.

It quickly becomes obvious that Australia is more intent on defending its lead against the wind than trying to add to it.

John Yzendoorn is the only one of the five defenders who sometimes ventures forward. Tony Henderson is back most of the time, even Eddie Krncevic



Peter Sharne has the ball plucked off his head by Northern Ireland's goalkeeper Jim Platt at Olympic Park. Picture by LES SHORT-ROCK.



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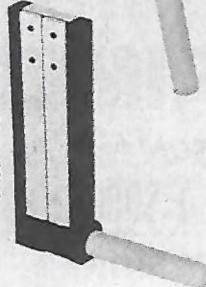
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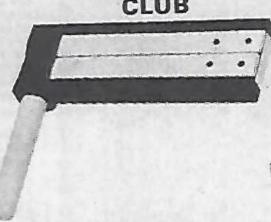
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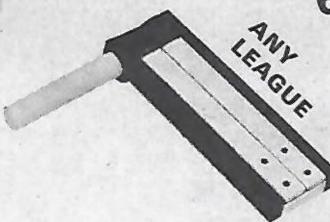
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Crowd: About 1000.
Referee: E. Venous 6.

Houdini would have been proud of J.U.S.T. This was an escape to rival getting out of a chained trunk at the bottom of the Mississippi.

Brisbane City was at least three goals better, yet managed only a draw after coming from behind.

Sweeper George Potter was magnificent, cleaning up and brushing aside the token J.U.S.T. opposition in the middle. David Ratcliffe, Steve Perry and Bobby Hamilton helped Potter to build the play from the back, but bad luck and bad shooting robbed City of a handsome victory.

And yet J.U.S.T. looked so good in the first 15 or 20 minutes.

Zdravko Lujic dashed down left, and crossed to Dragan Vasic whose header was repelled by goalkeeper Kim Wishart. Zoran Illoksi put away the rebound to put J.U.S.T. into the lead after only three minutes.

J.U.S.T. continued to play some impressive soccer for a while but then Brisbane City took control via Potter, Kevin Low and Larry Gaffney.

Only Peter Ollerton and Jim Kondaros in defence and Illoksi in midfield stood in Brisbane City's way.

Absolutely nothing came forward from J.U.S.T.'s midfield. Joe Piccinino played his worst game in years and lost the ball more often than you could count. Slobodan Jovanovic persisted in running with the ball instead of passing it.

Jim O'Reilly chased opponents and blocked a few attacks but did very little coming forward.

Igor Hazebert and Chris Petrov, the two full backs, also had an off day.

Petrov did however help to avert a goal when he stormed from behind to deflect an attempted shot by Jim McCluskey in the 35th minute.

But McCluskey had an even better chance soon after but missed from point-blank range.

Kiri Kyriakoules, signed from South Melbourne Hellas during the week, came on at half time to replace Petrov, and his job was to mark Kevin Low which he did both and all. At one stage an all-in list fight seemed imminent.

Just after the break Piccinino fired back a defensive clearance. Wishart dived, the ball bounced off him but there was no-one following in, so Wishart was able to recover and gather the ball in.

Brisbane City equalised with a 20-metre shot by McCluskey just inside the post in the 52nd minute and J.U.S.T. coach Rocco Ile replaced playing Illoksi with Bruno Cozella.

Ile was critical of Illoksi for not marking Hamilton closely enough, but Illoksi was playing a lot better than many other players.

Mark Brusasco could have won the game for City at least three times.

He miskicked from close range, unmarked, after Low had come down the wing and then he hit Boland after running into the clear on a through ball from McCluskey.

Nine minutes from the end, J.U.S.T. had the chance to win the game despite its generally bad play. Vasic, who had been working very hard without midfield support, took matters into his own hands, dropping very deep, picking up the ball and sending an inspired long pass to Lujic.

Lujic lobbed Wishart but the ball went past the far post. Then Boland saved another two shots by Brusasco before the final whistle enabled J.U.S.T. to breathe a sigh of relief.

Kiwi goalie foils Lions

**BRISBANE LIONS 0
CANBERRA CITY 0**

Ground: Lions Stadium.
Weather: Cloudy and cool.
Crowd: 2300.

Referee: Ken Allen 8.

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Former Melbourne soccer writer Alastair Cook who resides in Vancouver, saw the Whitecaps play both Manchester City and AS Roma recently. He was most impressed with the Krol of Ajax, who played in both games for Whitecaps and Alastair reckons he is one of the best defensive midfielders he has ever seen.

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Fabulous Fashanu

**ADELAIDE CITY 2
APIA 0**

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Weather: rainy, ground heavy.

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In complete contrast, Lions' Tony Scanlan was rarely troubled all day, with the Ontong-Bennett-Hermiston and Niven blanket in front of him.

TOUGHER

BELFAST, — Soccer players who spit at opponents will in future be ordered off, the International Football Federation's (FIFA) rule-making body has decided here.

If the offence is committed outside the area either by a player or an official he will be ordered off for violent conduct and a free kick awarded.

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Anderson takes over

Metro division one team Dandenong City replaced coach Norrie Davey with John Anderson last week.

Anderson is probably the best credentialed player to grace our shores having had a distinguished career with Stoke City in England.

He has previously coached Frankston Pines and assisted former Dandenong coach John Pryde during Pryde's stay at the club.

Dandenong responded to its new coach by beating Box Hill

2-0 on Monday at Booth Reserve.

Davey's reputation is such that he should be idle for a very short period.

DIVISION TWO

KNOX CITY 0 PARK RANGERS 2 (Dell, Scott)

KNOX: Butcher, Fox, Bailey, DeBuyskens, McConville, Webster, Haupt, Forbes, Priestly (sent off 30th), DeGuerre, House.

PARK RANGERS: Vassilios, Ogden, Spalding, McLennan, Lee, McChesney, Parsons, Stewart, Dell, Scott, Monteith.

The game ended as a contest when Priestly was sent off in the first half for fouling Dell of Park Rangers. Priestly had been booked a minute before for dissent.

Nonetheless, Knox contained the Rangers and went in at the break on level terms.

Two minutes after the restart Dell opened the scoring when he beat McConville and shot from the right side of the area giving Knox keeper Butcher

no chance with a hard, low drive into the far corner.

Ten minutes later Scott sewed it up when he met Parsons near post flick on after a McElhinney corner from the left and headed home in a crowded goal mouth.

Dalger was the culprit as far as Knox was concerned for his bad finishing cost it dearly.

Dalger had a point blank header early in the second half before breaking through near the ball and his decision to chip Rangers huge keeper Paul Vassilios spoiled what should have been a goal for the home team.

PROVISIONAL TWO

HAWTHORN CITIZENS 1 HAWKS 2

SCORERS: HAWTHORN: G. Cattolico

HAWKS: Mezzi, Oslakovic, Joe Szabo, Lezlo, Sejnies.

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HAWKS: Mezzi, Sejnies, Benedito, Hegedus, Barne, Bajic, Djordjevic, Stabu, Lazlo, John, Danner, Stabu, Lazlo, Best, PLAYERS: Hawthorn: N. Ildikim, A. Palentzit, G. Cattolico, Hawkburn: Mezzi, Oslakovic, Joe Szabo, Lezlo, Sejnies.

EAST BRUNSWICK 0 CARLTON 1

CARLTON: Cicic, B. Milosavlic, Ceramic, Radic, D. Milosavlic, Djordjevic, Stabu, Lazlo, B. Milosavlic, B. Krnic, Bielogic, Pajkovic, Best, PLAYERS: Easts: G. Cattolico, Eray, Padula, Carlton, Ceramic, D. Milosavlic, Bjelogic.

ARMSTRONG CUP

The First and Second round draw of the Harry Armstrong International Cup.

ROUND ONE

Sunday 28 June: Richmond v Port Melbourne,

Sunday 6 July: Merriwa v Arden, Ferntree Gully v Altona City.

Saturday 12 July: Essendon v Sunshine City, Coburg v Essendon Cross (provisional Coburg v Ethan Reserve Game) k.o. 1pm, Western Suburbs v Springvale City or Altona City.

Sunday 13 July: North Melbourne v Box Hill, Essendon v Hawthorn, Port Melbourne v Altona City, Waverley City v Altona or Ethan Reserve Game (k.o. 1pm), Western Suburbs v Ethan or Ferntree Gully.

Sunday 20 July: Dandenong City or Park Rangers v Nunawading City or Prahran City.

Sunday 27 July: Fitzroy v Carlton, Port Melbourne v Broadmeadows or Moonee Valley Park v Morell United F.C.

Saturday 11 August: Yarraville v Footscray, Doncaster Rovers v Kew City, Smithfield United v Melton (drawn), Arbeen v Port Melbourne, REDELDERS UNITED v Waverley City, Bell Park v MORELL FALCONS.

Saturday 18 August: Carlton v Yarraville, Broadmeadows v Frankston Pines, FERNETTE DULY v WEIRBECK v Keyborough, Carlton v Prahran Park.

Saturday 25 August: COIG v Nunawading City (drawn), MCGARRAHL CITY v Mooroolbark, NTI DANDENONG v Caulfield City, Brighton v Maribyrnong (drawn), MONASH UNIVERSITY v Sandringham City.

PROVISIONAL DRAW: Saturday, DIVISION 1 — ESSENDON CITY v Reservoir, South Gippsland v Bell Park, Sandringham v Nunawading, Yarraville v SUNBURY UNITED, Melton + Gisborne, Clayton v South Yarra & HOTHAM UNITED.

DIVISION 11 — Carlton v Yarraville, THOMASTOWN v East Brunswick, HAWTHORN v Langwarrin, KARINGAL v Bentleigh, Hawthorn Citizens, Nunawading v Box Hill, Sandringham v Boronia, MCGARRAHL v Reservoir, Werribee v Cavan Hill (drawn), Postal Institute v NORTH GEELONG.

DISTRICT LEAGUE — Sunday, DIVISION 1 — YARRAVILLE v Meribyrn, Bunyip + Moyne Ponds (drawn), Albion United v WEST MELBOURNE, Pascoe Vale v Banksia (drawn), CENTRAL CITY v Cheltenham, Mitcham United v Nunawading City (drawn).

DIVISION 11 — VENDETTA v Diamond Creek, North Melbourne v HAMPTON WANDERERS, Abbottsford Taxis v YARRAVAL, CENTRAL BRUNSWICK v North Sunshine, Ascot United v East Carlton (drawn), West Brunswick v MALVERN CITY.

CENTRAL DIVISION: Saturday, ESSENDON v Matron, Sunday, Broadmeadows City v ALTONA CITY, St. Kilda Hawks v FRANKSTON CITY v Waverley City v CROYDON CITY, Juventus v George Cross, Kelso v MORELL.

NORTH EASTERN LEAGUE: Sunday, BENALA v Tatara, SHEPPARTON UNITED v Colac, LEMMONS v Kybong (drawn), Shepparton Sixth v SEYMOUR.

Eagles hold onto top

NSW State League

State League front-runners Melita Eagles, despite missing a penalty, adapted themselves to the heavy conditions to crush Bankstown 4-1 at Garside Park.

Both goalkeepers were kept busy but Terry Greedy proved the safer of the Melita goalies.

Melita should have taken the lead in the 24th minute when Vic Juchniewicz was tripped in the box.

But Don Allan put his spot kick straight at goalkeeper Wally Lachowicz who held the shot.

Allan made amends for his miss in the 31st minute when he scored from beside the post following a Juchniewicz cross.

Terry Jones added another for Melita in the 66th minute, slipping the ball under the advancing keeper.

Paul Morrison reduced the arrears for Bankstown four minutes later with a 25m free kick that was deflected by a Melita player.

With six minutes remaining Juchniewicz beat a Bankstown defender on the run to score just inside the posts from 8m.

Jones made it four for Melita with a great 30m drive to complete the score line.

Sydney Olympic, playing without two regular first graders, notched a hard fought 2-1 win against Monaro at Pratten Park.

Olympic took the lead on half-time when Ian Rowden scored. Monaro was left unmarked six metres from goal and headed in a perfect cross from Andy Scott.

Monaro keeper Nick Antonopoulos did well to save a fierce shot from Housseini early in the second half.

Melita 4 (Jones 2, Allan, Juchniewicz), Bankstown 1 (Thompson) at Garside Park, Canterbury 4 (Williams 2, Thompson, Jordan OG), Parramatta 1 (Stephenson) at Arlington Oval.

Auburn 1 (McCannor) at Hurstville — postponed.

Ku-Ring-Gai v Croatia at Parklands Oval — postponed.

North Sydney — postponed.

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But he was well beaten in the 80th minute by Mark Kousas, who headed in from beside the post.

Monaro pulled on back six minutes from the end.

Velice Trajanoski took a corner from the right and Bob Noble slammied home a great shot from outside the penalty area.

Canterbury overpowered Parramatta 4-1 in a rugged game at Arlington Oval.

Canterbury scored first in the 10th minute when Chris Thammidis crossed to striker Terry Thompson, who had little trouble pushing the ball past keeper Denis Donovan.

Parramatta were two down 30 seconds later when Tim Madolis' cross was deflected into the net by defender Tom Jordan.

Canterbury's third goal came in the 63rd minute when midfielder Neil Williams put away Greg Byles' free kick while on the ground.

Willians was on target again seven minutes later when he rose high to head in Byles' lob over the keeper's head.



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SELECTIONS

Selections by Craig Mackenzie

METROPOLITAN LEAGUE DIVISION 1 — Saturday: Dandenong City v Springvale City (drawn) Kelso v

NORTHCOTE CITY; Richmond v DEVONET, Box Hill v ALTONA ROVERS; Sunday: Maribyrnong v Ringwood

City (drawn); Morialton v ALTONA CITY.

DIVISION 2 — Saturday: PARK RANGERS v Footscray; DONCASTER ROVERS v Kew City; Smithfield United v Melton (drawn); ARBEEN v Port Melbourne; REDELDERS UNITED v Waverley City; Bell Park v MORELL FALCONS.

DIVISION 11 — Saturday: Yarraville v FARNWELL, Ethun v RINGWOOD UNITED; CHELSEA v St Albans; Broadmeadows v Frankston Pines; FERNETTE DULY v WEIRBECK; Gisborne v Prahran Park; Gisborne v Morell United.

DIVISION IV — Saturday: COIG v Nunawading City (drawn); MCGARRAHL CITY v Mooroolbark; NTI DANDENONG v Caulfield City, Brighton v Maribyrnong (drawn); MONASH UNIVERSITY v Sandringham City.

PROVISIONAL DRAW: Saturday, DIVISION 1 — ESSENDON CITY v Reservoir, South Gippsland v Bell Park, Sandringham v Nunawading, Yarraville v SUNBURY UNITED; Melton + Gisborne; Gisborne v Morell United.

DIVISION 11 — VENDETTA v Diamond Creek, North Melbourne v HAMPTON WANDERERS, Abbottsford Taxis v YARRAVAL, CENTRAL BRUNSWICK v North Sunshine, Ascot United v East Carlton (drawn), West Brunswick v MALVERN CITY.

CENTRAL DIVISION: Saturday, ESSENDON v Matron, Sunday, Broadmeadows City v ALTONA CITY, St. Kilda Hawks v FRANKSTON CITY v Waverley City v CROYDON CITY, Juventus v George Cross, Kelso v MORELL.

NORTH EASTERN LEAGUE: Sunday, BENALA v Tatara, SHEPPARTON UNITED v Colac, LEMMONS v Kybong (drawn), Shepparton Sixth v SEYMOUR.

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By JIM MUIR

Politics decided my future in Adelaide.

When I eventually signed for Marconi I had depreciated \$6000 in two months. That's how much St. George had offered for me.

But nonetheless, coming to Australia has been the best move for me and my family.

I joined Motherwell in the Scottish First Division in 1967 so I stayed with them right up till 1972.

Actually I started playing up front but the game that changed me into a centre half was against Norwich in the now defunct Texaco Cup.

Motherwell's manager was worried by the heading ability of David Cross who was Norwich's main striker at the time.

I was moved back to cover Cross and I did well so I became a central defender.

Dumbarton bought me in 1972 for £28,000 pounds and it had a pretty good side at the time.

The year before the inception of the Premier League was a sort of qualifying year because the top 10 teams in First Division went into the Premier League the following year.

Dumbarton finished 11th and missed out by one spot.

After that the club started to go downhill and after my captaincy stint, lasting four years, I ended up in Australia.

I initially came here as a guest player for Adelaide City thanks to the good reference given me by ex-Celtic boss Jack Stein.

Dumbarton was selling off players anyway, so I thought Australia was the go.

The first year I played in the PSL I was very disappointed with the standard because you were able to say well, we're playing this lot this week, so that should be an easy two points.

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LONDON — English First Division side Arsenal has paid Second Division London side Queen's Park Rangers one and a quarter million sterling (two and a half million dollars Aust.) for 19-year-old striker Clive Allen.

Allen was top league scorer last season with a tally of 30 goals.

He is the fifth British player to fetch a transfer fee of more than one million sterling. The others are Trevor Francis (Nottingham Forest), Andy Gray (Wolverhampton), Steve Daley and Kevin Reeves (both Manchester City).

**Chivers and
Rainey the
men to watch**

By CRAIG MACKENZIE

With Juventus battling it out with five other Victorian State League teams at the top of the table, the Italian fans should need little incentive to come to Centenary Park this weekend.

Those who come to support Juve will have the added attraction of watching Martin Chivers whose first-game performance, under the strain of travel and not knowing his team mates, was brilliant.

To what heights big "Chiv" is capable of rising after settling in and supervising Frankston's training is a dreaded thought to strike fear into the hearts of Juve's fans.

With Kevin Wall and Bruce Young learning to time their runs and to pick up space, God help Juve's defence which can look cumbersome and brittle at times.

The injection of solidity sadly lacking could come from Juve's new loan John Creany provided he arrives in time for this important clash.

Frankston should show the benefit of Chivers' expertise and take both points in a close encounter.

Croatia and Croydon get the opportunity to turn on a good game as their recent Croydon Park encounter.

Croydon feels that it is close to getting the better of its more prestigious opponent but Croatia coach John Gardiner will be keen to keep his side's drive towards Makedonia in full flight.

Another draw could be the best bet provided that Croydon shows the heart and endeavour of the last clash three weeks ago.

Makedonia and Green Gully clash at Connor Reserve and the Makedonia machine has started to run into top gear with that dynamic forward trio of Gary Ward, George McMillan and Robert Cullen looking to be in devastating touch.

Now that Mick Rainey has found his form, his bursts upfield will pose a constant threat to Gully and Makedonia can keep a firm grasp on top spot by taking two points.

Western Suburbs will be keen to avenge their recent loss to Slavia and, driven on by the added incentive to appealing to their core fans will give everything against Tony Vrzina's side.

Slavia cannot be taken lightly and a draw could be the result of what should be a fierce and willing clash.

In other games Hakoah's place in the top four should not be threatened by the struggling George Cross and Sunshine and Altona could repeat their draw of three weeks ago.

Our guest tipster this week is Croydon coach NORM HOBSON. Norm coached Ringwood City, Mooroolbark and Doncaster prior to his present successful stint with Croydon. He has an impressive record with Metro Division Two team Doncaster, having taken it from Fourth Division to Second. Presently Croydon deservedly lies in third spot in the State League. Norm's selections lie in likely winners in capitals:

SUNSHINE v. Altona at Chaplin Reserve, Saturday, 2.45 pm.
Croatia v. Croydon (draw) at Olympic Park No. 2, Sunday, 3 pm.
Frankston v. Juventus (draw) at Centenary Park, Sunday, 3 pm.
MAKEDONIA v. Green Gully at B.T. Connor Reserve, Sunday, 3 pm.
Hakoah v. GEORGE CROSS at Middle Park, Sunday, 3 pm.
Western Suburbs v. Slavia (draw) at Schintler Reserve, Sunday, 3 pm.

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This week's hat-trick heroes:

Pedro Fric, 12 (Springvale); Steve Curtis, 11 (Chandler Primary School); John Karahalios, 11 (Brunswick City); John Markowski, 12 (Luke O'Brien); five goals (Sunshine Heights); George Markutus, 7 (Nunawading); Daniel McMinimee, 7, Stuart Torrance, 8; Paul Gibson, 6; Jason Davis, 8; Warren Spink, 13; five goals (Dove-ton); Adam McCollonge, 8 (Lyndale).



John Little (left), Steve Blair (centre) and Pedro Ramos with the national youth championship trophy which Victoria defended unsuccessfully in Canberra a few weeks ago.

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The fortunes of Sydney Olympic and its coach, Jim Adam, are intertwined as they both seek redemption from a fall from grace.

The almost religious fanaticism of Olympic's supporters for a return to the national league may provide the impetus for their resurrection.

When Jim Adam lost his coaching position at APIA last year and Olympic lost its Phillips League status it seemed natural that they should get together in a joint effort of recovery.

To date things are going well and both parties would have hoped Olympic's first ever trophy was collected in the early season after beating Sydney Croatia in the Ampol Cup, and now the team is settled on top of the NSW State league.

However, not even Olympic's fanatical supporters were fooled by the level of accomplishment and the cup win did not bring with it the same hysteria that would have accompanied it in earlier times when Hakoah, St. George, Marconi and others were competing.

Recently I attended Olympic's top of the table clash against State league rival Melita.

Almost 5,000 people were in Olympic's Pratten Park ground, though probably 1,000 of these would be Melita supporters.

The atmosphere was vibrant

with noise and colour like the early Phillips league days, when all was optimism, before the seemingly inevitable decline.

But the game was not memorable.

Melita played the football, typical of the possession style preferred by coach Attie Abbott, his predecessor.

Olympic had the drive which is a characteristic of Jim Adam's teams and is also characteristic of Scottish players and Adam was once a successful member of that clan.

The game could have gone either way. It went to Olympic 2-0 and as the second goal was driven high into the net by substitute Jim Zeros just seven

minutes from time I saw the usually reserved Adam leap off the bench high into the air, arms over his head in triumph.

Did he feel, like so many of the yelling Greek supporters seemed to think, that this was IT, the State League title will be ours? Will he keep us off the Phillips league if we can?

Jim Adam has had a strange coaching career in recent years, moving from country to country, city to city, club to club, sometimes of his own wish, often not, seeking positions where he could exercise his own peculiar style of coaching and management.

He attracted controversy at Heidelberg and Makedonia, chaos at APIA, and success at West Adelaide but insufficient credit.

He has a powerful squad for State league involvement but he will need to keep looking over his shoulder at Melita and an improving Croatia.



Jim Adam

However, Jim Adam and his club will be hard to stop from taking back the league title which they will then throw down as their entry card into the national league, where both of them consider they belong.

VICTORIA
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Front row: Fausto Tarquido (from Juniors), Tony Circolo (from Altona 1977), Bobby McMillan (from Juniors), Bruno Sabidussi (from Juniors), Mendo Ristovski (from Hellenes 1980), Tony Harry (from Slavia 1979), George Gillan (from Heidelberg United 1979). Picture by LES SHORROCK



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Y que quiere . . . son cosas de Los Morochos

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Los primeros 15 minutos prometieron una cosa, pero en el transcurso del partido aparecieron otras y además esa particular forma de empeñarse por hacer la más difícil de LOS MOROCHOS. Pierden frente a un rival, QUE NO SABE, QUE FUE MENOS QUE ELLOS EN TODO EL CAMPO, y al que DOMI NARON TODO EL PARTIDO. PERO PIERDEN.

HOTHAM UNITED: ROJAS-NIETO-JARA-NILO-ANDERSON-VALENZUELA

HURIO-LEIVA-FLORES-CETINICH-LOPEZ-

Cambios: Lesionado sale CHICO LOPEZ y reaparece en primera "CABECITA" OPAZO, LEIVA debe lugar a HERNANDEZ.

ARBITRO MR. DE HOER, algunas fallas pero en general bien. Desde el comienzo el partido se plantea con un equipo que llega con pelota dominada, pisa el área y trata de llegar al gol, por la más difícil. Falta esa decisión de tirar al arco, pero igual el gol está rondando. Se destaca la figura del arquero visitante, un chico de solo 16 años delgado, de físico todavía sin "terminar", pero que dirige a toda la defensa y comienza a "parar" y "volar" pelotas que al principio parecían suerte y luego se contumecen en la saz de un partido que lo tiene como el mejor hombre de la cancha, Charlie Rooney.

A los 17' minutos, LOS MOROCHOS son víctimas de las cosas que solo nos pasan a los SUDAMERICANOS. A veces saber y querer demostrarlo se paga, especialmente frente al que no sabe. Pelota en profundidad al área, pica en el área chica, se cruza JARA, haciéndole de cortina al arquero ROJAS, pica entre los dos, los dos la MIRAN, entra el numero 8 "la revienta" y LLORAR.

Y de ahí en mas comienzo otro partido. Un partido en que los MOROCHOS salen a "comerse" a los inglesitos. Y los inglesitos comienzan a tirarla para arriba, a los costado y el arquero a agrandarse y FLORES y compañía a "hacer" una de mas, dos de mas, tres de mas. FLORES es un excelente muchacho, no nos ensañamos con él, pero, cada vez que la pelota llega a sus pies, comienza un INTERMINABLE, con cierre de vueltas, paradas, taquitos, toques y por supuesto frente a estos LA PIERDE, porque, o va al suelo o queda hecho un NUDO con el mismo. Los demas en el área, o en el medio, se DESPERAN y a correr, porque vienen el contraataque de los inglesitos. Y asi, TODO EL PARTIDO.

En el segundo tiempo las cosas no varian, CHICO LOPEZ, se desgasta en la ingle, igual que CARDONE, y entra OPAZO un jugador, fino, para el toque, para ese CABEZAZO sensacional, pero a FLORES nadie se lo dice y jamas tira un centro, UNO. Ya hasta parece aproposito. En otra escapada llega el segundo del GREENSBROUGH y entonces la moral y la impotencia hacen doler las piernas de los inglesitos porque algunos MOROCHOS, meten unos morochazos de miedo. 44' minutos, penal para los chilenos. FLORES, cruzado y gol. Un resultado que marca otra derrota, pero en realida un resultado para que el tecnico JOE DEGURA, no duerma ni una sola noche. ASI NO SE PUEDE PERDER. Destacamos, a VALENZUELA, JARA, CETINICH, y ANDERSON, deseamos pronta recuperacion a CHICO LOPEZ, CARDONE y esperamos la vuelta de el "COMPADRE" ANDRADE.

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— Oscar Perea

sion, LOS GAUCHOS del West Melbourne, viajan a ALTONA para enfrentar a un rival al que vencieron dos veces, este campeonato es la primera vez que se enfrentan, las veces anteriores fue por la DISTRICT CUP. EL WEST MELBOURNE, necesita estos dos puntos para seguir en carrera.

PRIMERA RESERVE- PRIMULA AVE, NORTH ALTONA. NO FALTE.... Para LOS CHARRUAS, como locatarios tienen otra oportunidad para acercarse a algo que no es un sueño, sino una gran posibilidad, GANAR EL CAMPEONATO. Reciben en casa en el campo de KENSINGTON, al MALVERN CITY que va segundo, perdió un solo partido y tiene 30 goles a favor. Además todos los de "arriba" juegan entre si, y un triunfo, pondría a los CHARRUAS, en immejorable posición. ES UNA CITA DE HONOR PARA TODOS LOS URGUAYOS, T-O-D-O-S, ALERTAR AL EQUIPO, que con valores jóvenes sale a "JUGARSE POR LA CE LESTE". NO FALTE, COMENTELO, ACOMPANE A SUS BOTIJAS.....

Para los CHAVALES, después de este merecido descanso estar a la espera del MOONE PONDS, un rival difícil, durísimo y que salió "comiendoles los chicos crudos" por el campeonato. Locales en FLEMINGTON, los dirigidos por GIL-CUBERO, tienen equipo, confianza, y han aparecido varones, si señor, VARONES con fuerza de CAUDILLOS, para guiar el equipo, pensamos que "CANONERO PINAS" se esta perfilando como ese hombre que le hacia falta a los CHAVALES. Junto a GUERRILLERO ORTIZ y si el DT, DEEEAAA, a "GALLEGO" GUIMAREY en el medio, tiene un medio campo DE BANDERA. Sin duda un partido para no perdérselo, en FLEMINGTON, se matara la ganadería del señor D.MOONE PONDS, y serán espadas ONCE CHAVALES DE ORO. Señores GIL-CUBERO, dején en el medio PINAS-GUIMAREY-ORTIZ y hay festejo, AUPA CHAVALES...



Two men with a heavy responsibility — "Chico" Hernandez (president) and Joe Deguara (coach) of Hotham United.



Two fine players come back home: Jorge Valenzuela and Daniel "Cabecita" Opaizo. Valenzuela, from Keilor Austria, and Opaizo are both with Hotham United and they promise that Hotham United will go up and up ...

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REZULTATI SIVE BOLJI — PUBLIKE SVE MANJE Australija je igrala sa Severnom Irskom neresceno 1:1 (1:0) na Olympic Parku pred svega 9000 gledalaca. Do skora bi ovakav rezultat zvucao senzacional, danas vise negativno. Medutim, to nije bilo sigurno da ce gosti izrezeti nasu mrezu, stadijon su bili prepuni. Uspeši i napredak Australije, zvuci paradisksalno, utic negativno na publiku, koja rezonuje sasvim nelegionicno: "Ako mozemo da pobedujemo sa nasim polutimerama najskupije profesionalce, vrednost danasnjeg nogometnog je vrlo niska!" Pored toga, dok je u Australiju došlo u velikim brojevima, gledalci su obicno opusti kada dođu u Australiju, jer nemaju motivaciju, dok je sa Australijom obrnut slučaj.

Premda formi i rezultatima koje je Australija do sad postigla, teorijski se vec kvakavala za završne borbe u Spaniji 1982. godine. Medutim, uverljivo i teorija cesto idu u raskorak, to nasi uspesi na bolje poznati.

J.U.S.T. NEMA SREDINU

Od kako je Mirko Rusevic zbog povrede prestao da igra, pocela je da skripi "plava masina" tamo gde je najavljeno. JUST je da nema sredinu, zbog cega se stalno gricevo brani, a napada neorganizovan same preko jednog igrača Zdravka Lujica. Nije onda cudo sto na kraju utakmice Lujic jedva vuce noge. Da bi nesreca bila još veca, Josip Picioane je van forme, a Slobodan Jovanovic nema fizicku mogucnost da popuni prazninu. Sto J.U.S.T. ipak cerupa boude treba zahvaliti izvanrednoj formi Denisa Bolanda i Peteru Ollertonu, koji se svih bolje snalazi kao poslednji odbranjenik igrača.

Protiv poslednjeg na tabeli JUST je pruzio najslabiju igru u ovog godina, ali je pak izvukao neresen rezultat. Sportska sreća je trenutno na JUST-ovoj strani, ali se na nju ne moze uvez racunati. Iduce nedelje na Olympic Parku CEI polagat tezak ispit, jer je protivnik Rasevic Adelaida City, koji se ambičiozno prislovava vrhu tabeli.

OSTALI REZULTATI

ALTONA GATE — POLONIA 1:0 (0:0). Necekivana, ali zaslene poraza Altona Gate, doslova je u pravo vreme, ali nije resila da ostane u grupi. Peta utakmica u redusu.

Prema sasmati Altona Gate je moralje da pobedi sa manjim vecim rezultatom. Jedini gol je postigao Sekula Sekulovski u 66. minuti, postu mu je Cele Televski servirao loptu tako da je bio nemoguce promasti. Odbrana Altona je bila toliko cvrstja da Polonia nije imala ni jednu priliku koja je mirisala na gol. Najbolji je bila Krakevski, Sekula Sekulovski i Dragi Naumovski. Iduce nedelje Altona Gate igra kontra gost protiv Morelanda koji je takođe kandidat za ispadanje.

BELL — J.U.S.T. 1:2 (0:1). Povratak Vlastko Belica i Dany Acsesko mnogo su znaci za drugi tim JUST-e, koji je u zadnje vreme igrano bezglavo. Steta vojnik Belic nije dovoljno precizan, inace je majstor da pripremi sebi sansu za gol. U zadnjem minuti je tuzo posmatrano kako je dzombra na gol liniji specijalni priliku da se upise u strele. Strelici za JUST: Suleiman Curovic u 44. i Dany Acseski u 83. minutu. Prvi su smuli cito da su obe strane zadovoljne sa sudnjom. Nas zemljak Djokica Stojkovic je "po baby na po strcvima", sto je danas retko u juniorskim utakmicama, gde su sudje najveci navijaci. U predjedri je bila Bell Parka pobedila "plave" sa 2:0, koji su imali po obicaju 90% od igre, ali nisu znali kako da ubace loptu u mrežu. Iduce nedelje: Park Rangers — J.U.S.T.

EAST BRUNSWICK — CARLTON/SRBIA 0:0. Rezultat odgovara igri, iako je domaćin vise odgovorio blatinjav i dzombast teren. Milan Cvijic je branio izvanredno, dok je novala ovog puta bila miltiata i neprecizna. Na screu ostali rezultati su isti na ruku Carlton/Srbiji tako da je sacuvala prvo mesto sa jednim bodom prednosti. Iduce subote Carlton/Srbija je slobodan, zbog cega mogu izgubiti prvo mesto ako Thomasbown pobedi East Brunswick.

HAWTHORN CITIZENS — HAWKSBURN 1:2 (0:1). Na igri koju je predstavio na hronici, prije u poznu jesen, Hawkburn je bio je boje sansou od domaćina. Duboko blato je igrali uklanjan u rezultatu, jer su mnoge niste letele. Na drugoj strani, spasavale Hawthorn, ciji je gol bio neprestano izognesen. Hawkburn je poveo sa 1:0 u 19. minuti preko Pere Osakovicu, koji je sekunde sekunde beograd reagirao od golmana i centuras Joe Sabo-a smestio u mrežu. Joe Sabo je povisio na 2:0 posle idealne kombinacije, koju je zapoceo neumorni Andras Sejimes u 50. minuti. Lovre je loptu negde na sredini igralistu, dodao Osakovicu, a ovaj nabacio preko sennaesterac, gde je Istvan Laslo spusio tacno na nogu matcolog Joe Sabo. Posle ovog gola Hawkbsurn je malo popustio, sto je domaći iskoristio da smjeri na 2:1. Zavrsnica prispada opet Hawkbsurn, ali Istvan Laslo, Janos Sabo nisu bili precizni pred praznim golom.

CENTRAL ALTONA/SLOGA — KARINGAL UNITED 0:1 (0:0). Iako domaćin, Sloga je moralje da igra u Karingalu, jer opstina nije zavrsila radove, tako da su u pitaju sve domace utakmice do kraja prvenstva, sto je veliki hindjevik za Central Altonu. To je pokazala i ova utakmica, koju bi Sloga sigurno dobila da je igrala na svom igralistu. Ipak, Sloga je imala idealne uslove. Prosto je neverovatno kako je George Josevski dva puta promisao gol sa nekoliko metara. Istako Ljupco Iljevski i Ljubo Ivanovski, iako dobro cuvani, mogli su lako da se opisu u strelici.

VARDAR — BRAT/JEDINSTVO (SPRINGVALE UTS.) "B" 3:1 (1:0). Zasluzena pobeda Vardara, ali i protivnici imao je idealne prilike da izvuce neresen rezultat. Medutim golman Kole Ivanovski je bio brano, da je stoto gubi vreme u amaterskoj nedeljnoj ligi, jer ima kvalitete cak i za Philips ligu. Strelici: Mendo Risteski u 41. minutu, Lazo Lazarević u 47. i 77. minutu za Vardar, Risto Petrovski u 49. minutu za Bratstvo/Jedinstvo. Iduce nedelje je Vardar slobodan, ali ce po svoj prilici igратi prijateljsku utakmicu.

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